## October 2011 Labor Report November 22, 2011



## **Unemployment in Kansas and MSAs**

Place of Residence Data

Kansas Civilian Labor Force	October 2011 1,510,477	<u>September 2011</u> 1,509,539	October 2010 1,497,176
Employment	1,417,162	1,409,424	1,399,043
Unemployment	93,315	100,115	98,133
Unemployment Rate	6.2	6.6	6.6
Lawrence MSA			
(Douglas County)			
Civilian Labor Force	65,622	65,729	63,230
Employment	62,083	61,833	59,582
Unemployment	3,539	3,896	3,648
Unemployment Rate	5.4	5.9	5.8
Topeka MSA			
(Jackson, Jefferson, Osage, Shawnee and V	Vabaunsee Counties)		
Civilian Labor Force	122,484	122,798	122,586
Employment	114,353	114,023	114,315
Unemployment	8,131	8,775	8,271
Unemployment Rate	6.6	7.1	6.7
Wichita MSA			
(Butler, Harvey, Sedgwick and Sumner Coul	nties)		
Civilian Labor Force	314,436	315,026	311,814
Employment	291,743	290,122	286,563
Unemployment	22,693	24,904	25,251
Unemployment Rate	7.2	7.9	8.1
Kansas City Area			
(Franklin, Johnson, Leavenworth, Linn, Miar	mi and Wyandotte Cour	nties)	
Civilian Labor Force	432,180	431,887	427,694
Employment	403,104	401,936	397,599
Unemployment	29,076	29,951	30,095
Unemployment Rate	6.7	6.9	7.0
Manhattan MSA			
(Geary, Pottawatomie and Riley Counties) Civilian Labor Force	67.665	67.000	GE 004
	67,665 64,339	67,036 63,401	65,334 61,967
Employment Unemployment	3,326	3,635	3,367
Unemployment Rate	4.9	5,033 5.4	5,307
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